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re Application of:

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This paper is submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated July 14, 2005, for which the three-month date for response is October 14, 2005.

No fees are believed to be due in connection with the present paper. However, should any fees be required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21, the Director is authorized to deduct such fees from Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. Deposit Account No. 01-0365/DE0353. In the event the monies in that account are insufficient, the Director is authorized to withdraw funds from Williams, Morgan & Amerson, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0786/2000.108200.

Reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.